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AGENDA

Section A <u>Information and/or discussion</u>

- **A.01** General Information related to third countries.
- **A.02** Information on imports of certain birds into the Union during 2016. (EV)

Section B <u>Draft(s) presented for an opinion</u>

B.01 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision on the evolution of animal diseases in third countries.

(B.01_Emergency disease)

Procedure: Examination procedure

B.02 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Decision amending the list of third countries and territories from which imports of certain fishery products for human consumption are permitted. (GM/RF/VA)

Addition of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Georgia and the Republic of Kiribati to Annex II to Decision 2006/766/EC.

(B.02 SANTE 7010 2017)

Legal Basis: Regulation (EC) No 854/2004, Article 11(1)

Procedure: Examination procedure

B.03 Exchange of views and possible opinion of the Committee on a draft Commission Implementing Regulation on the conditions for the entry into the Union of live equidae and of their semen, ova and embryos. (AEF/EC)

This draft Regulation will replace following legal acts: Commission Decisions 2004/211/EC, 92/260/EEC, 93/195/EEC, 93/196/EEC, 93/197/EEC and 2010/57/EC, and Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2015/261.

The aim of this draft Regulation is to:

- reduce the number of certificates;
- adapt the format of certificates to be in line with Commission Decision 2007/240/EC;
- adapt animal health requirements to the latest recommendations in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) in a framework of Directive 2009/156/EC;
- update some testing methods, i.e. for vesicular stomatitis;
- clarify the procedures for: temporary admission of registered horses, re-entry of registered horses, imports of equidae for slaughter.

(B.03 SANTE 7113 2016 rev.6)

Legal Basis: Council Directive 91/496/EEC, in particular Articles 3(2) and 9(1)(c); Council Directive 92/65/EEC, in particular Article 17(3); Council Directive 2009/156/EC, in particular Articles 2(i), 12(1), (4) and (5), 13(2), 15, 16, 17 and 19 **Procedure:** Examination procedure